

**NORTHAMPTON BOROUGH COUNCIL
STANDARDS COMMITTEE**

Your attendance is requested at a meeting to be held at The Court Room,
The Guildhall, St. Giles Square, Northampton, NN1 1DE on
Monday, 23 March 2020 at 5:00 pm.

**George Candler
Chief Executive**

AGENDA

1. APOLOGIES
2. MINUTES
3. DEPUTATIONS / PUBLIC ADDRESSES
4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST
5. MATTERS OF URGENCY WHICH BY REASON OF SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES THE CHAIR IS OF THE OPINION SHOULD BE CONSIDERED
6. INTERNAL AUDIT REPORT: MEMBER-OFFICER RELATIONSHIP REVIEW
The Committee to receive a briefing on the Internal Audit Report: Member-Officer Relationship Review
7. LOCAL GOVERNMENT ETHICAL STANDARDS - COMMITTEE ON STANDARDS IN PUBLIC LIFE
The Committee to consider a report following the recent meeting of the Standards Working Group that considered the report "Local Government Ethical Standards - Committee on Standards in Public Life"
8. STANDARDS COMMITTEE ANNUAL REPORT 2019/2020
The Standards Committee to consider and approve its Annual Report 2019/2020.
9. CODE OF CONDUCT ARRANGEMENT COMPLAINTS
The Standards Committee to consider a report regarding complaints received under the Arrangements for dealing with allegations of breaches of the Council's Code of Conduct and of Codes of Conduct adopted by Parish Councils.

10. EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC AND PRESS

THE CHAIR TO MOVE:

“THAT THE PUBLIC AND PRESS BE EXCLUDED FROM THE REMAINDER OF THE MEETING ON THE GROUNDS THAT THERE IS LIKELY TO BE DISCLOSURE TO THEM OF SUCH CATEGORIES OF EXEMPT INFORMATION AS DEFINED BY SECTION 100(1) OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 AS LISTED AGAINST SUCH ITEMS OF BUSINESS BY REFERENCE TO THE APPROPRIATE PARAGRAPH OF SCHEDULE 12A TO SUCH ACT.”